



LIV Meeting Minutes

May 1, 2025

The meeting was called to order by President John Albora, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. A guest at the meeting, Domenic Coppolo, was introduced. John announced that Pete Lambert has dropped off some Corvette literature which is free for the taking.

Past Events

Core Drive and Dine

The Core group held a drive to Garvey's Point and Brewery on April 18.

The Museum has a \$5 entry fee. About 20 people in all went. Some had lunch in the Brewery. It was a fun time for those who went, and the day was nice, so everyone could take their Corvettes.

Tobay Car Show

We had a booth at the show, to find possible vendors for our show, and meet people. The weather was sunny but very windy and cold! Everyone who tried to erect a canopy ended up taking them down as the wind was lifting them up even with heavy weights on each of the poles. (There was even a sighting of Mary Poppins!) We handed out vendor info and met a lot of people there. Next year we will probably just go to the show and not purchase a vendor spot.

Future Events

Fun at the Feldman's

Mark Feldman is hosting a gathering at his home on Saturday, May 10, with a rain date of Saturday, May 17, from 10:00 AM -1:00 PM. It will be just a "hangout" with bagels and coffee. The heated outdoor pool and gazebo will be open.

Wednesdays at Burger City

John suggested that this week we move our Wednesday meet-up to Airport Plaza in Farmingdale, where there are a selection of venues for a quick dinner. We will try some different places so more people can attend. Watch the LIV website and What's App for the location of our Wednesday evening meet-up.

Bagels on Saturday

Saturday mornings members meet at Meyer and Gold Deli at Airport Plaza around 7:30 AM – 8:00 AM for coffee and bagels. Watch the LIV What's App for info about time and attendance. It's a good way to start the weekend.

Branch Brewery

John reported that he had been contacted by the Branch Brewery in Mattituck for a possible car event there. He has tried to contact them several times but apparently the Brewery is operating seasonally. There is a restaurant there called Meets Meats, and they seem to be open. We will try to contact them. Brian Larsen may have a way to find out if they are still operating.

Corvettes at Carlisle

John reminded members that we will have our spots at Carlisle again this year, along with NCRS. We will have a tent, tables and chairs. Members can bring items for sale, but they must be marked with member's name, phone number and sale price. If you are selling items, please plan to stay around the tent until they are sold.

Membership Report

Brian Larsen reported that we have 72 members. He then announced the Birthdays for the month.

Treasurer's Report

Pete Puccio reported:

Beginning Balance	\$12,153.00
Income	\$ 1,839.00
Expenses	\$ 792.00
Ending Balance	\$13,199.00

FourLeaf Car Show

John A. reported that preparations are proceeding nicely.

Sign-up sheets are here on the table for the various committees, so please sign up. We need everyone's help on the day of the show. We also need your sign-up so that we can order the right size T-shirt for you.

The Department of Health Permit is in place.

Portable toilets are reserved. This year we are only getting three instead of four last year. They are getting expensive! We have several sponsors in place. Doug B. announced that he will be a sponsor again. Yay Doug! Vendors are proving to be a bit difficult this year. We have one who makes tacos and paninis. We are working on an ice cream vendor. The money from the vendors goes to Last Hope Animal Shelter. We are hoping that Last Hope will have a booth and bring some of their animals with them, which is always a nice draw. John reported that he and Pete P. will have a Zoom meeting with the bank this month to settle some of our questions and arrangements. If we have enough vehicles, we want to be able to use both the East and West lots. After the meeting is over John asked people to take a look at the map of the location and we can discuss parking, announcement area, registration, etc.

Technical Question

Rich Fingerhut asked if any of the C8 owners have noticed that after an oil change if they are parked on a little incline that they find a small drop of oil on the ground. Discussion ensued about how a little oil can collect on the top of the shield and move when the car is driven or parked on an incline. It's only really a problem if the drop winds up on a newly sealed driveway.

50/50

The 50/50 was won by Rich F.

The meeting was adjourned by John A. and discussion of the show lot and plans followed.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha Baker-Fingerhut
General Secretary

